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Public Notice – Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) Town Hall Webinar

The Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) is announcing the addition of a new Medicaid service, the Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE). PACE is designed to provide comprehensive community-based care and services to dually eligible individuals who are 55 years of age or older who otherwise would need a nursing home level of care. The primary goal of the PACE program is to allow individuals to continue living in their home as opposed to a long-term care facility.

PACE will be established in five areas of the state: West Chicago, South Chicago, Southern Cook County, Peoria, and East St. Louis. Descriptions and maps of the five service areas are included at the end of this provider notice.

On Wednesday, November 3rd, at 1:00 pm Central Standard Time, HFS will hold a town hall style webinar to discuss the following:

- Current PACE Project Status
- Market Analysis Data
- Planned Service Regions
- Service Region Data
- Preliminary Capitated Rates
- Approximate Timeline
- Plans to Issue a Request for Application
- Plans for Readiness Reviews
- Anticipated Go-Live Date

Please save the date, Wednesday, November 3rd, at 1:00 pm Central Standard Time. The Town Hall Webinar will require registration prior to the meeting. This can be completed by using the “Sign up” button on the PACE web page. You can access this web page by clicking the link below.

Please sign up here

<https://illinois.webex.com/illinois/onstage/g.php?MTID=eb04641be61eef765fdcefd14aea75342>

Illinois PACE Service Areas

The Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services intends to establish a Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) in five regions of the state. The target areas include West Chicago, South Chicago, Southern Cook County, Peoria, and East St. Louis.

Descriptions of the five proposed regions are provided below. Maps of the proposed service areas for each region are included on pages 2-3 of this document.

West Chicago

This region begins just west of the downtown loop and extends west to approximately the Des Plaines River. It is bordered on the south by the Adlai Stevenson Expressway (Interstate 55), and on the north by Montrose Ave. It includes the neighborhoods of South Lawndale, West Garfield Park, Belmont Craigin, and Austin. Market analysis projects that this region could support as many as three PACE service centers. Specific zip codes for this region include: 60130, 60301, 60302, 60304, 60305, 60402, 60534, 60546, 60607, 60608, 60612, 60622, 60623, 60624, 60634, 60639, 60641, 60642, 60644, 60647, 60651, 60656, 60661, 60706, 60707, 60804.

South Chicago

This region begins with the Near South Side neighborhood and stretches south to the South Deering neighborhood. Its southern boundary follows approximately along the Little Calumet River. Its northern boundary is the Adlai Stevenson Expressway (Interstate 55). Its western boundary follows approximately along South Harlem Ave. It includes the following neighborhoods: Near South Side, Douglas, Grand Boulevard, Kenwood, Englewood, Woodlawn, South Shore, Chatham, and Auburn Gresham. Market analysis shows that this region could likely support as many as four PACE service centers. Specific zip codes included in this region are: 60453, 60456, 60459, 60609, 60615, 60616, 60617, 60619, 60620, 60621, 60628, 60629, 60632, 60636, 60637, 60638, 60643, 60649, 60652, 60653, 60655, 60805.

Southern Cook County

The Southern Cook County service area includes Calumet City and several surrounding communities to the north, west, and south. Its eastern boundary is the Illinois-Indiana state line. Its northern boundary follows approximately along the Little Calumet River. Its western and southern boundaries are jagged and run almost diagonally but extend as far west as Harlem Ave and as far south as E. Steger Rd. In addition to Calumet City, it includes the communities of South Holland, Dolton, Riverdale, and Harvey. Market analysis projects that one service center would be supported by this region. This region includes the following zip codes: 60406, 60409, 60411, 60419, 60422, 60425, 60426, 60428, 60429, 60430, 60438, 60445, 60452, 60461, 60469, 60472, 60473, 60476, 60478, 60633, 60803, 60827.

Peoria

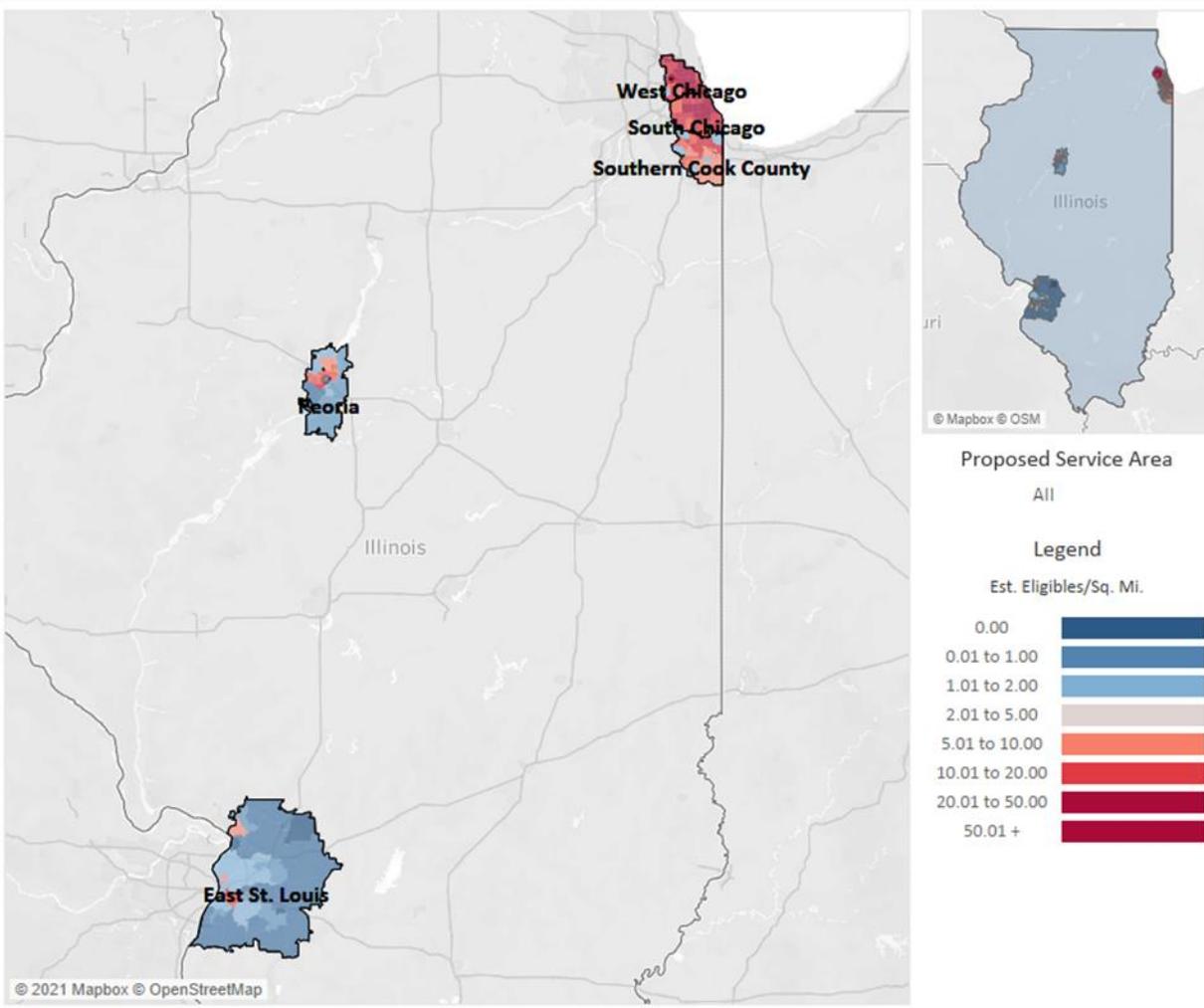
The Peoria region includes the core zip codes associated with Peoria, as well the communities of Pekin, Creve Coeur, East Peoria, and Peoria Heights. This region would support one service center. The following zip codes are included: 61554, 61602, 61603, 61604, 61605, 61606, 61607, 61610, 61611, 61614, 61615, 61616, 61625.

East St. Louis

The East St. Louis region includes East St. Louis and several nearby communities including Granite City and Collinsville. This region would support one service center. It includes the following zip codes: 62001, 62010, 62018, 62021, 62024, 62025, 62034, 62040, 62046, 62048, 62059, 62060, 62061, 62062, 62067, 62084, 62087, 62090, 62095, 62097, 62201, 62203, 62204, 62205, 62206, 62207, 62208, 62220, 62221, 62223, 62225, 62226, 62232, 62234, 62236, 62239, 62240, 62243, 62249, 62254, 62258, 62260, 62269, 62281, 62289, 62293, 62294.

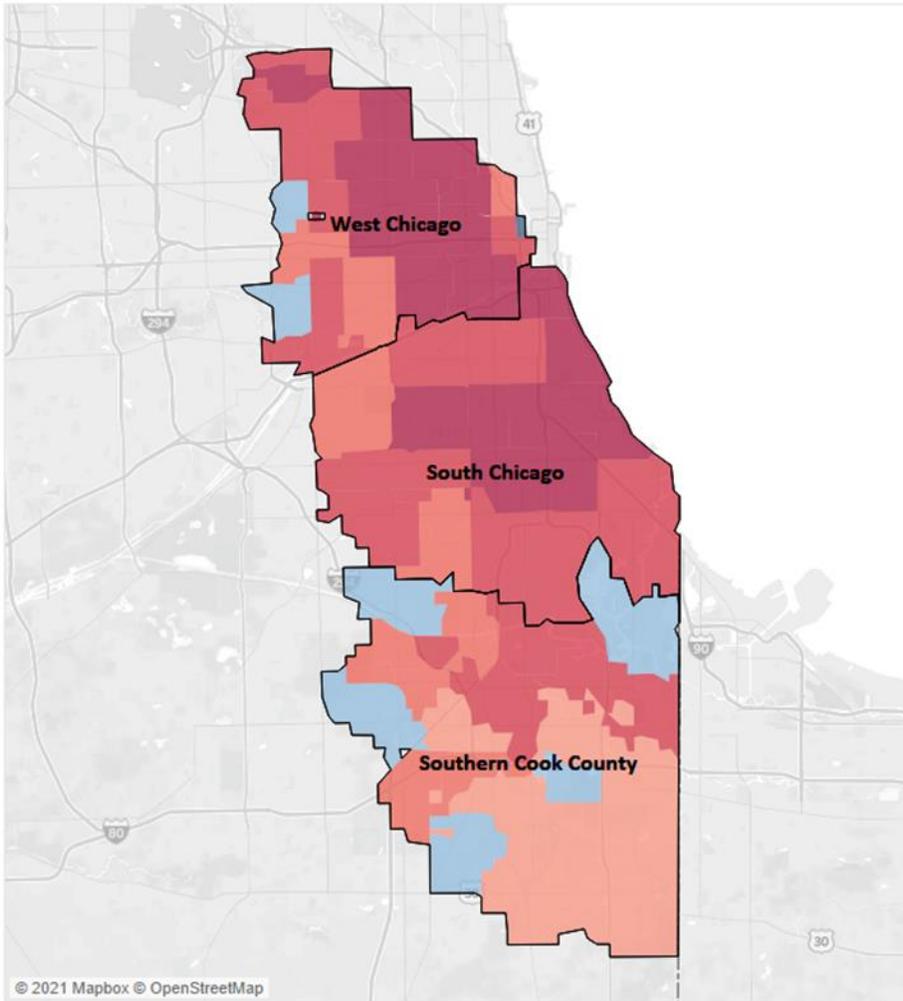


Illinois PACE Proposed Service Areas





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Proposed Service Area

Chicago

Legend

Est. Eligibles/Sq. Mi.

